TOWN OF CHARLESTOWN PUBLIC NOTICE

TOWN COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING – October 13, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. Charlestown Town Hall, 4540 South County Trail, Charlestown, RI

The regular monthly meeting of the Town Council will be held on October 13, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. at the Charlestown Town Hall, 4540 South County Trail, Charlestown, RI. The proposed agenda is as follows:

1. Call to Order

2. Roll Call and Pledge of Allegiance

3. Council Sitting as the Beverage Licensing Board

Motion to order advertised for public hearing on November 9, 2009 the following applications for beverage license:

Charlestown Package Store Inc. d/b/a Charlestown Package Store - Class A

Richard C. Serra d/b/a Rippy's Liquor & Marketplace – Class A

Charlestown Willows d/b/a Foster Pier Restaurant – Class B Full

Birdmar Enterprizes Inc. d/b/a The Cove – Class B Full

MGMR Group Inc. d/b/a/ Meadow Brook Inn – Class B Full

Nordic Lodge Inc. d/b/a/ Nordic Lodge – Class B Full

Old Wilcox Tavern Inc. d/b/a/ Wilcox Tavern – Class B Full

John Zarokostas, d/b/a Gentleman Farmer Restaurant– Class B Limited

C & E Pizza Inc. d/b/a Famous Pizza – Class B Limited

Starboard Galley Inc. d/b/a Starboard Galley – Class B Limited

G.S.I. Inc. d/b/a General Stanton Inn – Class B Tavern

Downey Weaver Post Building Assn. American Legion #34 – Class C

4. Consent Agenda All items marked with ** are to be considered consent agenda

Motion to accept, approve and place on file the following as the consent agenda: 5a, 5b, 11b, 11c, 11d, 16b, 16c, 16d, 17a

5. **Minutes and Reports:

a. Minutes:

Town Council: September 9, 14, 23, 29 Conservation Commission: August 25 Mosquito Abatement Council: August 21 Parks and Recreation Commission: July 7

Wastewater Management: June 10, July 8, August 12, 26

Zoning Board of Review: August 18

b. Reports:

Building Official: September Police Chief: September

Public Works: August, September

6. Council Comments

7. Administrator, Solicitor, Commission Reports

- a. Town Dock Road progress report
- 8. Announcements
- 9. Public Comment

10. Public Hearings

- a. Public Hearing on Ord. #317, amending Chapter 218-Zoning: Wind Energy
- b. Public Hearing on Ord. #318, amending Chapter 36, Parks and Recreation: Ninigret Park dog park Facility Sub-Committee

11. Ordinances, Resolutions and Proclamations

- a. Introduction and 1st reading of Ordinance #319, amending Chapter 155 Nuisances: Outdoor Hydronic Heaters-order advertised for public hearing
- **b. Updating of the Banking Authority Resolution
- **c. Resolution in support of the Washington County Energy Program and authorizes the staff to apply for any and all state/federal resources to reduce municipal and school energy costs
- **d. Resolution in support of the Washington County Energy Program request for qualifications to select and secure an Energy Services Company to create savings through Performance Contracting

- e. Introduction and 1st reading of Ordinance #320, amending Chapter 218 Zoning: Accessory family dwelling unit-order advertised for public hearing
- 12. Communications and Petitions
- 13. Licenses and Permits
- 14. Persons Wishing to be Heard
- a. Paul Silva, Promoter of Saving Planet Earth
- 15. Appointments and Resignations
- a. Appointment to the Chariho Building Committee (vacancy announced at September meeting)
- b. Resignation received from Bruce P. Loeckler from the Affordable Housing Commission. (announce that there is now a vacancy)
- c. Resignation received from Vic Dvorak from the Planning Commission (announce a vacancy as an Alternate)
- d. Appointment of Lyndsay Shader as Acting Parks and Recreation Director

16. Fiscal Matters

- a. Request from the Conservation Commission that the Town finance and construct the parking lot for the Richard Property.
- **b. Request from the Tax Collector for Abatements and Remittances totaling \$663.91
- **c. Request from the Tax Assessor for Abatements totaling \$92.65
- **d. Award of bid for a heavy duty dump truck with a recommendation from the Director of Public Works: Coastal International Truck not to exceed \$105,921 through a lease purchase agreement.

17. Legal Matters

- **a. Approval and authorization for the Town Council President to sign the MEDS (Medical Emergency distribution System) and PHER (Public Health Emergency Response) funding contract
- b. Collective Bargaining Contracts-ratification
- 18. Unfinished Business

19. New Business

- a. Council Liaisons
- b. Request from Frank Glista to acquire artifacts from Ninigret Park for the use of the Naval Airfield Memorials as approved by the Parks and Recreation Commission

20. Adjournment

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